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Group Art Unit: 3679

Appln. No. : 10/718,593

Examiner: Unknown

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For : DETACHABLE CONNECTION ARRANGEMENT

**CLARIFICATION OF NOTICE REGARDING NONPUBLICATION  
REQUEST**

Commissioner For Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 23313-1450

Sir:

Applicant received a Notice Regarding Nonpublication Request dated February 18, 2004, which indicated that Applicant had requested Nonpublication, but that the application would in fact be published because applicant had claimed foreign priority.

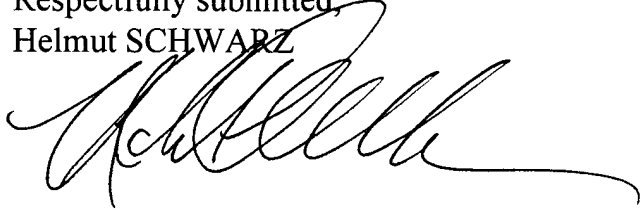
In order to clarify the record, Applicant notes that, through a typographical error, a box on Applicant's transmittal letter of November 24, 2003 was inadvertently marked to indicate that a Request for Nonpublication was being submitted with the application. However, Applicant notes that no such Request for Nonpublication was submitted with the instant application.

Accordingly, Applicant awaits publication of the application.

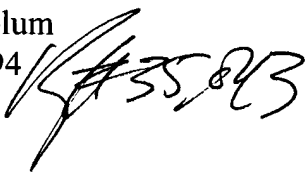
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Should there be any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below listed number.

Respectfully submitted,  
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